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March 23, 2001 LB 243, 574A

Record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote read, Legislative Journal page 1176.) The vote is 42 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, 4 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: LB 574A passes. LB 243.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, with respect to LB 243, I do have motions pending. The first is offered by Senator Schrock, and I have a note that he wants to withdraw this one.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: It is withdrawn.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Beutler would move to return the bill to Select File for a specific amendment. Senator Beutler's amendment is AM0987.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Beutler, you're recognized to open on your motion to return.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I would withdraw that motion.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: It is withdrawn.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Beutler would move to return the bill to Select File for a specific amendment. This is AM1113, Senator. (Legislative Journal page 1161.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Kristensen, members of the Legislature, this bill is not a Christmas tree in the glorious form that we have come to know them to be when they're constructed late in the session, but it does have one little ornament on it that was added to the bill on Select File. And on Select File there was not much debate, in fact there was hardly, I don't think there was any debate on this amendment whatsoever. And so it seems to me, although I don't usually offer amendments on Final Reading, that it's appropriate to ask you to consider amendments at this stage of debate. And